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Memorandum No. 25-1-74

1 August 1994

Information Management DUPLICATE EMERGENCY FILES PROGRAM

- 1. <u>Purpose</u>. This memorandum prescribes procedures and responsibilities for forwarding and maintaining duplicate records at the emergency relocation site (ERS).
- 2. Applicability. This memorandum applies to all elements of the Omaha District.
- 3. References.
- a. AR 25-1, The Army Information Resources Management Program
 - b. AR 340-26, Duplicate Emergency Files Program
- c. Headquarters, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Continuity of Operations Plan (COOP).
- d. Headquarters, Missouri River Division Continuity of Operations Plan (COOP).
 - e. Omaha District Continuity of Operations Plan (COOP).
- 4. <u>General</u>. The Omaha District COOP requires records necessary for the performance of essential emergency functions and the reestablishment of the District headquarters in case of an emergency be maintained at an emergency relocation site. The COOP contains criteria for selection of operational, administrative, and technical records to be included in the duplicate emergency files. All documents required to conduct operations should be forwarded to the ERS. Records to be included and offices responsible for furnishing ERS files are listed in references 3. b. and c., above.
- 5. Responsibilities.

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- a. Chiefs of divisions and separate offices will:
- (1) Determine which documents are necessary for continuity of operations in accordance with above references.
- (2) Appoint duplicate emergency files coordinators for the division/office.
- (3) Ensure documents are forwarded to Records Management Section, Customer Assistance Branch, Information Management Office.
 - b. Duplicate emergency files coordinators will:
- (1) Package and forward (see paragraph 6 below) to Records Management Section all documents listed in the Omaha District COOP for respective division/office.
 - (2) Keep files maintained at the ERS current.
 - (3) Maintain an inventory of all documents shipped.
- c. Records Management Section, Customer Assistance Branch, Information Management Office will:
- (1) Ensure documents are prepared for shipment and then forward to the ERS.
 - (2) Maintain an inventory of all documents shipped.
- d. The individual designated as commander at the ERS will appoint a Duplicate Emergency Files Custodian. The commander will ensure all personnel operating the depository are properly cleared and thoroughly familiar with procedures outlined in AR 340-26, Duplicate Emergency Files Program.
- 6. <u>Procedures for Forwarding Records</u>. All records to be maintained at the ERS will be forwarded through Records Management Section.
- a. Records will be packaged individually by wrapping or be placed in an envelope or container.

- b. A DA Form 4573, Document Control and Destruction Certificate, will be prepared for each document shipped. The envelope/container will be clearly marked for ERS. Instructions for completing DA Form 4573 are in appendix A. Do not place more than one document on a form. Distribution of DA Form 4573 is:
- (1) Original, 3d, 4th, 5th and 6th (card) copies will be forwarded to Records Management Section with the document.
 - (2) Copy 2 will be retained by the preparing office.

FOR THE COMMANDER:

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ROBERT L. SUTHARD, JR.

MAJ, EN

Deputy Commander

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APPENDIX A

SOP (Revised Aug 93)

INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETION OF DA FORM 4573 (Prepare a separate DA Form 4573 for each document forwarded to the ERS)

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